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THE MALAY OUTBREAK.

The *Morning Post* says—It is extremely unfortunate that the Malays should have achieved the small success of repulsing the handful of troops that attempted to take the stockade at Passer Sila, as it will have given them an erroneous idea of their power. But it is not likely that a similar mistake on our part will occur again, as we find that the troops are awaiting reinforcements at the Residency before assuming the offensive. There can be no question of the issue of the matter, when they again begin to take action against the Malays, and we may look forward to hearing shortly of the settlement of this unpleasant business, which appears, in the light thrown upon it by yesterday's news, to have been made more of than was necessary by the reports which have been circulated from non-official sources.
